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TRAFFIC FATALITIES, ACCIDENTS COSTS A GREAT NATIONAL PROBLEM

TO GRADUATE 37 TOMORROW NIGHT

The Grayling High School 1946

With the nation's traffic fatality rate almost back to its post-war peak, not only the number of accidents but also the cost of accidents rising each month, the American automobile owners are faced with a problem that only they can cure.

That this is a national problem has been signified by the National Highway Safety Conference called by President Truman and the campaign currently being sponsored by the Advertising Council (the co-operative group of advertising leaders who produced most of the War Bond and other war-time advertising campaigns) in co-operation with the National Safety Council.

That it is a local problem is evident in this and every community where the increasing number of deaths and injuries which are reported almost every week.

Some idea of the trend in the number and severity of automobile accidents can be gathered from statistics just released in the interest of safety by the State Mutual Automobile Insurance Company.

All through 1945, and at a highly accelerated rate after V-J Day

Class Day program was held in

High School Auditorium. Rich

ard K. Nelson gave the Salutatory

and President's Address, follow-

ed by A. J. Charron, who read the

Class Oath given by Dr. Edward

Barrett and Dick Ladd.

Small read the Class Poem. Helen Madson gave the Class

Fair, and Irene Anthony and Dwight Reava made the Giffatory.

Gloria Feldhauser gave the Valedictory Address to end the

program. The Glee Club, directed

by Mrs Roy Milnes, entertain-

ed the crowd during the pro-

gram with several numbers.

The Commencement Program is scheduled for 8 o'clock Friday

evening at the High School Au-

ditorium. The Invocation will be

given by Rev. Sven Holm; the

number of 1946, in March the

number was up by 5.5 percent

over January and February and

7.5 more claims were paid than

in any previous month in the

company's history.

At the same time, the average

cost of claims for automobile ac-

cidents continued to grow. For

example, the average 80 percent

collision claim cost 93 percent

more in 1945 than it did in 1942.

While in 1945 the cost of the av-

erage claim was the highest in

the history of the company; in

the first quarter of 1945, the av-

erage cost was up 18 percent over

1944.

With the average car over 8

years old—with bad brakes on 1

car in 7—with thoughtless drivers

"hitting it up" on worn tires; ac-

centure have more than doubled

today, and so in many cases,

has the cost of repairing the dam-

age to the automobile—where it

is possible to make repairs. All of

this in addition to an average of

950,000 people injured or killed

each year in traffic accidents.

These old cars are, generally,

more extensively damaged in an

accident than newer models, sim-

ply because parts are worn and

often rusted. For example, a

rear fender on a certain make of

1944 automobile listed at \$8, but

because a new one was unavail-

able it cost more than five times

the price of a new fender to re-

pair it. The average increase in

repair costs is up from 25 to 45

percent.

Foot trails are being marked in

the Porcupine Mountain wilder-

ness park; cabins will be built at

intervals for overnight campers.

These improvements are the first

steps in a \$50,000 improvement

program announced by the State

Conservation Department.

The top problem of the Michigan

Tourist Council and regional as-

sociation is How to prevent Michi-

gan's traditional vacation season

(July and August) through Sep-

tember and October. Some resort

operators are opening two weeks

early, closing two weeks late.

The capital city's Tally-Ho, a

drinking spot, lost out in its ef-

fort to win a supreme court writ

compelling the state liquor con-

trol commission to re-issue its

annual license. Irony: Michigan

automobile manufacturers, who

are sponsoring the Golden Jubilee

party in Detroit June 1-15, antic-

ipate a continued shutdown of

plants during much of that time.

John L. Lewis' coal strike is

the reason. The state adminis-

trative board authorized \$33,000

jubilee aid.

Frost has badly damaged

grapes and strawberries, but

good cherry, peach and pear

crops are still in prospect. **

Winter wheat is not so good. **

Increase in the number of lamprey eels in Lake Huron is blamed

by commercial fishermen for

a dearth of lake trout. ***

Circular fluorescent tubes pro-

ducing 100-watt illumination at

32-watt cost, will be on the mar-

ket this fall. ** Automobile tires

will soon come in colors. A

"tiny" television transmitter

powered by a dry battery will

be offered to farmers. Distance

of messages: 1 to 2 miles. Cost is

\$25. ***

We don't expect to com-

ment about the current political

campaigns of Republicans and

Democrat candidates. This col-

umn is non-partisan, and we're

going to leave politics to some-

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To Show Proofs This Saturday

A representative of the Woltz Studios, who recently took pictures of the community's kiddies for publication in the Avalanche, will be at the Masonic Hall on Saturday, June 1, from 1:00 to 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon to show proofs of the pictures.

If your child or children's pictures were snapped the last time the representative was here, please bring to see the proofs unless the proofs are approved by you they will not be released for publication.

The studio is advising all par-

ents of the time and place to see

proofs by letter, but the Avalanche is anxious to have as many

pictures of local kiddies as pos-

sible, and is also notifying par-

ents of the date, time and place to

avoid disappointment.

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WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 25 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified column on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamp. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at NOON on Wednesday.

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NOTICE—Builder and decorator, general contracting, carpenter, paper hanger, painter, roofing and side wall. For prompt service, drop card to Ernest J. Moulton, Box 231, Route 1, Roscommon. 3-21-46

FOR SALE—Fence posts, cabin logs, (balsam, hemlock, spruce), lumber and cord wood. Prices on request. D. & S. Lumber Co. Phone 2271. 25-46

SEPTIC TANK SERVICE—Service tanks cleaned. All modern equipment. Phone 3771, Grayling, Michigan. Jack Millikin.

FOR SALE—Lake front lots, house logs all lengths, lumber and cedar posts. D. J. Worthey, Horseshoe Lake, near Fredric. Mar 28-46

FOR SALE—'41 Chevrolet cab over long wheel base. Buick Sales and Service. 4-2-46

WOOD FOR SALE—\$10 per load. Phone 4436. 5-16-46

FOR SALE—Day bed, radio cabinet, Victrola and records, mirror. A. G. Fritz, Blue Lake, West Shore. Kalkaska County. 23-30

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes, \$1.00 a bu. Also good David Bradley 6-ft. cut mower. Henry Verlinde, 1 mile north of Maple Forest town hall. 23-30

NOTICE—Am selling out antiques, also have three drafting boards for sale. B. Korach, Kalkaska, Mich. 23-30-6-13

NOTICE—Hatches twice weekly during June. \$1.00 per 100 chicks will book your order. Write today. Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Michigan. 5-23-46

WANTED—To rent permanent home, either in Grayling or Lake Margrath, by the N.Y.C. Supervisor of track, Carl Richardson. Call Stan Flower at Depot. 23-30

On and after June 1, 1946, this notice that I will not be responsible for debts or obligations of my wife, Lillian Piehl Christensen. Ervin R. Christensen. 23-30-5

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court of the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1946. Present, Honorable Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Hanson, Deceased.

Carl J. Rasmussen having filed in said Court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Wilhelm Raedt, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 5th day of July A.D. 1946, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate. 30-6-13-20

CASH AND CARRY—Prices: 215 lb Asphalt shingles, 3-1 strip, per square, \$6. 90 lb rolled roofing, slate blend, \$2.50. No. 70 Wonder Oil, in 1 gallon cans, \$3 per gallon; in 5 gallon cans, \$2.75 per gallon. Superior Heat-form Fireplace Units, all sizes, Plastold mastic, per gallon, \$2.25. Pioneer Log Cabin Co., Phone 29, Roscommon, Michigan. 5-23-46

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FOR SALE—Ice chest, 100 pound capacity. 701 Chestnut St. 30

FOR SALE—24 H.P. Tractor Engine Steam Boiler. May be used in sawmill at Kalkaska. Inquire at Hunter's AuSable Dairy, Grayling, Mich. 30

NOTICE, SPORTSMEN—Dry Ice available at Hunter's Dairy. 30

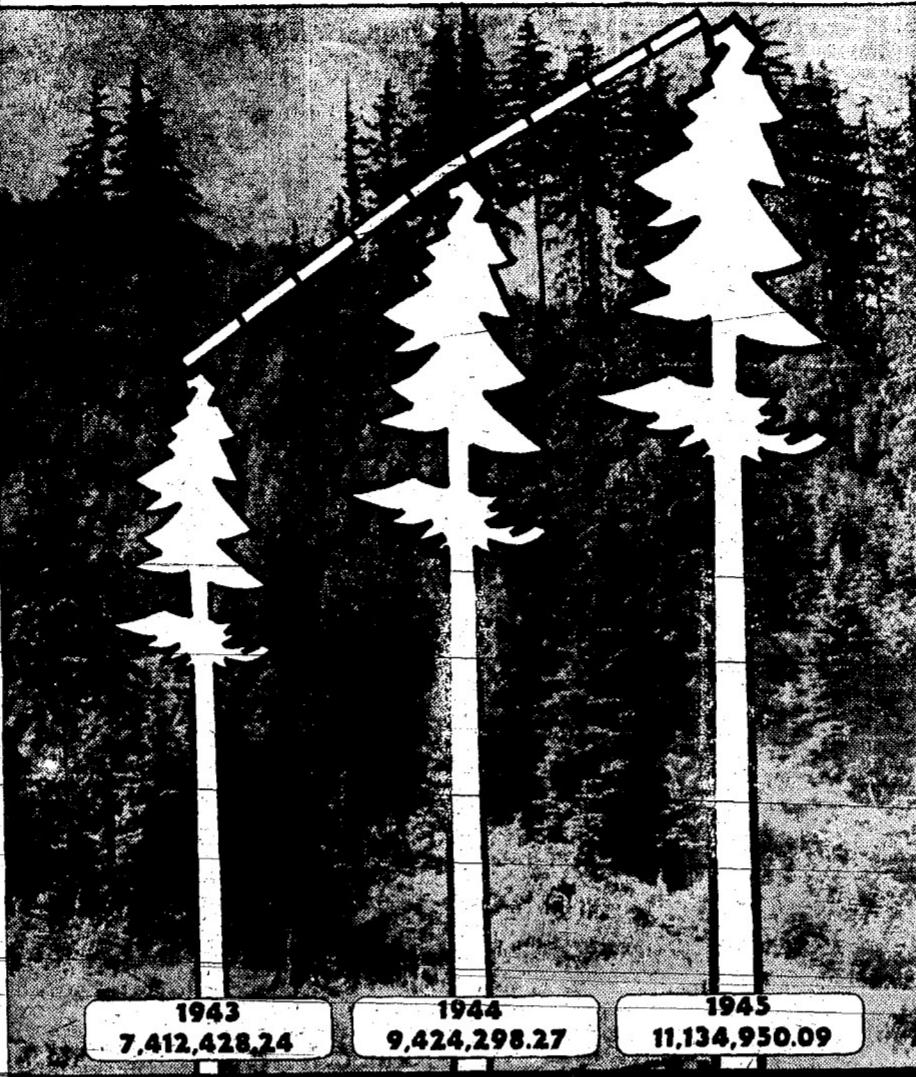
LOST—Two keys on a small flashlight key holder. Phone 2781. 30

FOR SALE—Lake Front Lot on Eagle Point, Lake Margrath. Write Everett Bidvia, Box 32, Grayling, Mich. 30-13

FOR SALE—4-burner Gas Stove, also 20 bushels "Petoskey" potatoes, for seed or table use. E. L. Forshee, in the row property. 30-6

HELP WANTED—Second Cook, Desk Clerk, Waitress for the Blue Room, Bell Boy. Apply Shoppenagons Inn. 30

Eleven Million Acres in Tree Farms



Tree farms have passed the 11 million acre mark, only four years after the program was inaugurated with the donation of the Clinton Tree Farm. Montezuma, Washington. The movement is sponsored by forest industries to aid in perpetuating the nation's forest wealth.

Despite rigid requirements for membership, which include maintenance of good protection against fire and harvesting by continuous yield methods, or timber-cropping,

there are now 945 tree farms encompassing a total of 11,134,950.09 acres.

Alabama leads the South with

303, Arkansas is in second place with 257. Other states are Mississippi, 143, Texas, 90, North Carolina, 14, Florida, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia, Maryland and New Jersey inaugurated the program last year.

The background of this chart shows a dense stand of second growth Douglas fir on Western tree farm on land from which harvests of old growth have been taken on a continuous yield basis.

VETERANEWS



As the time interval increases, the readjustment of veterans is accompanied by an increase in problems classed as non-overlapping in nature and a decrease in questions and problems involving Federal agencies, reports from centers to Lansing show.

General Omar N. Bradley, Federal Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, anticipated these non-governmental problems early in January, 1946, when he said:

"Nowhere is there greater opportunity to help the men and women than in the communities they left to join the forces."

Here they shall meet problems outside the fences of governmental authority. And here the community must be prepared to help them solve these problems."

Counselors and insurance panels of local veterans' affairs will be interested to know that the trend for insurance is decreasing.

The current campaign to create an interest in future security through insurance seems justified.

Unusual facts about insurance—one more illustration of the need veterans often unwittingly face for sound basic information—information that assists the individual in making better life decisions.

The local counselor and his committee can give this information which is so vital to the veteran's future.

Routine services rendered in the

centers are becoming a recognized convenience. However, no one counselor can ever answer all the questions or render all the services required to meet the needs of the veterans. The center's primary job is to explore and open all the community's doors of opportunity to its veterans.

Growth in the volume of general counseling is a very important development in services rendered in the counseling centers in the past three months. This fact emphasizes the need for an organized in-service training program to assist veterans' interviewers in studying and improving their counseling procedures.

Frederic News

Mr and Mrs Frank Leng of Lorain, Ohio, are visiting at the William Leng home.

Mr and Mrs Chester Burke now occupy one of the Virgil cabins.

Mr and Mrs Marlin Weaver of Buchanan, Michigan, are visiting her father, Vern Wallace.

Mr and Mrs John Rowell visited his mother, Mrs Harry Horton, Sunday.

C. S. Barber is much improved at this writing.

Miss Florence Taylor of Grayling and William Butler of Dearborn called on Mrs. H. Horton, Sunday.

A number from this place attended the party Saturday night at Maple Forest Town Hall for Mrs Thomas Manier (Phyllis Lenz).

Flowers for Decoration Day are the scarcest this year that they have been for a number of years.

Mr and Mrs Robert Hunt of Detroit will spend May 30 and the weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs Alva Hunt.

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Holiday: 8:00 and 9:00 A. M.

First Fridays: 7:30 A. M.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH

Sunday Services

11:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:15 A. M.—Morning Service.

6:45 P. M.—Young People.

7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

Midweek Services

7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Every-body's Bible Class.

Pastor, F. D. Barnes.

CALvary BAPTIST CHURCH

Chestnut St. and US-27

Sunday Services

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:15 A. M.—Morning Service.

6:45 P. M.—Young People.

7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

Notes and Comments from Washington

FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:30

Church services at 10:30 A. M. —Bible School.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

Services at Excelsior Church

Sunday at 11:30 A. M.

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9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.

11 A. M.—Worship.

Everyone is welcome.

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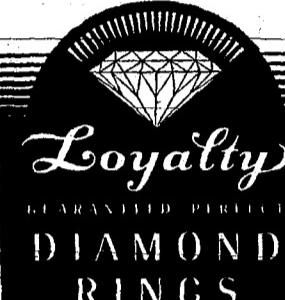
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THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1946



In 1945 28,500 persons became "stream-lined guitar plunkers" because of automobile accidents. The toll will be much greater in 1946 unless motorists pledge themselves to drive safely in safe cars.

May 15, the police of the United States and Canada under the sponsorship of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, launch their Traffic Safety Check Program. They urge the driving public to cooperate by living up to the police slogan, "Check your Driving—Check your Car—Check Accidents."



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CHINA'S FAMINE CORRIDOR . . . Chinese lad is shown carrying his starving mother from their Hunan farm into the village of Kung Ping, in the heart of Hunan's famine corridor. Hunan sustained greater losses of men and material than any other province. Estimates are that 577,000 persons were killed, 1,500,000 wounded, 945 buildings destroyed and 642 animals killed. Starvation is even worse today.

HERE'S TO HEALTH

Tests Used in Finding TB

School children in some communities in the United States are given tuberculin tests every year. These tests are an aid in the great nation-wide hunt for unknown cases of tuberculosis. These tests do not, by themselves, reveal the presence of the disease, but they indicate the need of further study of the patient and help in the search for the unrecognized case from which the infection originated.

There are, it is estimated, at least 500,000 cases of tuberculosis in the country, more than half of which are unknown to health authorities. Since tuberculosis is a communicable disease, these unknown cases constitute a serious public health threat. A person with active tuberculosis, unaware that he has the disease, is risking his own life and may be spreading the disease in the community.

In order to find these unknown cases, mass chest X-ray surveys are advocated by the Tuberculosis Control Division of the U. S. Public Health Service and by the National Tuberculosis Association and its state and local affiliates. The X-ray is the easiest way to find pulmonary tuberculosis in its early stages when there are no outward symptoms.

While children of the elementary school age seldom have pulmonary tuberculosis, and therefore X-ray examinations are not practical, if they have come in contact with the disease, the TB germs may be present in their bodies. The tuberculin test reveals the presence of these germs and provides a lead in tracking down the source of infection.

Tuberculin reacts positively only to the germs when they have entered the body. If the test is negative, that is the end of the matter. If it is positive, then an X-ray picture is taken to find out if the child has healthy lungs. If the X-ray shows that the lungs are not diseased, then members of his family and other persons with whom he may have come in close contact are urged to have chest X-rays. This procedure frequently leads to the discovery of hitherto unknown cases of tuberculosis.

Tuberculin tests are also used to help the doctor in diagnosing doubtful cases of tuberculosis. Sometimes an X-ray reveals sus-

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fail to renew contracts. Reason: Why spend money to sell products we are unable to make? Abandoning shows are General Motors, General Electric, Armour & Co., Proctor & Gamble, Bristol-Myers, Lever Bros., Chrysler and Westinghouse.

Congress has approved a kitty of \$500 million for airport aid whereby Uncle Sam will pay one-half the cost of building small-size landing fields.

Wages vs. dividends. Wage and salary income in 1940 was at

a \$50 billion dollar rate, today, six years later, 102 billion dollars. Dividends in 1940 were four billion dollars; today five billions.

Voters in Grand Rapids and Plint, whose mayors were crying for more state aid at Lansing last year, rejected a proposed increase in tax millage for school purposes. Three other communities—Grosse Pointe, Escanaba and Battle Creek—voted to help themselves by extra school taxes.

Compulsory health insurance would cost the taxpayers at least

\$400,000,000 a year in New York State, according to a commission appointed by Governor Dewey.

A quotation: "This sum represents too great an expenditure to be imposed on the people of this

state, either directly or indirectly through governmental authority."

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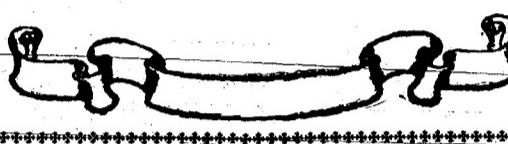


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IT'S SIMPLE enough to go into the story of Memorial Day. Why we observe it *** with what reverence we gather at the monument to the unknown soldier. But if our reverence ends there, we've accomplished nothing and all the fighting that's been done has been in vain; all that's been fought for becomes a dream, still in the far distant future. If we remember that the quest for peace does not end the day the last shot is fired, that we haven't achieved the glowing goal of PEACE with the end of hostilities, we shall have learned a masterful lesson. Let us resolve this day to take part in the peace plan for the future, to be aware of our government's attitudes and actions.

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PLEASE PARDON MY LUCIFER, MADAM.

PHEW!!!

NEIL

OH, YOU'LL BE SO LATE—AND AFTER ALL THAT STRUGGLING TO SORT OUT THE MARES! I CAN DO THEM! I'M NOT TIRED!

"Oh, you'll be so late—and after all that struggling to sort out the mares! I can do them! I'm not tired!"

"Please, Neil, I'll feel better if I know you're in bed up there with a book. Is there plenty of wood and coal in your box?"

"Plenty. All right, Rob, if it'll make you feel any better, I will."

Nell went to bed and sat reading, but she didn't know what the words meant, for she was listening for a shot. At last she fell asleep, and Rob came in undressed and put out the lights without waking her.

But there had been no shot, for Rob had thought of another way—just a chance of a way—a very slim chance.

In the morning the storm was still raging. Rob rose early, saddled Shorty and rode over to the telegraph station to discover the state of the weather and roads westward. It was worst right here on Sherman Hill but snow ploughs were keeping the highways open and buses were running. Fifty miles to the west no snow was falling.

He rode back and explained his idea to Nell. If he could take Thunderhead in the trail to Saginaw Falls—if he could make the trip in two days, they would arrive on October twenty-third, the day before the Greenway race. There was still time. And if Thunderhead should give a good account of himself in the race, someone would buy him and take him far away and everybody would be happy. After all, this was what he had been trained for.

"But the storm, Rob! And those roads! And those awful passes! Taking a horse down the Divide in a trailer in such weather as this!"

"Fifty miles west it's clear weather," said Rob, as he threw things into the saddlebag.

"And in every storm he'll bring them home," said Rob quietly.

"He's done that all his life, he'll continue to do it."

And for a while there was nothing to be heard in the cosy kitchen but the whine of the wind around the chimneys, and a sudden furious on-slaught rattling the windows.

Pouly crawled out from under the stove, stretched slowly and sensuously, curling up her coral tongue, then rested herself and began a leisurely and thorough bath.

"No," said Rob again with a sharp sigh, raising his eyes to the ceiling of the room and taking a few more puffs of his pipe. "Banner will never be safe—not till Thunderhead is dead—or gelded."

A sound burst from Nell. "But Rob—Ken!" And at that Rob went wild again.

"I'm thinking of Ken too!" he shouted. "Do you think I like to do this? Now, when the boy has done better, achieved more, made me prouder of him than I ever have been in my life? If there were any way to get rid of that stallion—get him hundreds of miles away from here—turn him over to someone else—but who would buy him or accept him as a gift? He's no use to anyone."

Rob knocked the ashes out of his pipe, slipped it in his pocket, stamped across the kitchen to the porch and started to get himself into his outdoor rig. Woolen trousers into overshoes. Canvas trousers over both, tied at the ankles. Sheepskin lined lumberjacket, felt-lined gloves, and deep padded Scotch winter cap. With his hand on the door knob he paused and looked back at Nell.

"I would be smart," he said slowly, "to put a bullet through him and haul him away. Ken would never know but what he was still up there in that valley."

Nell made no answer and waited for Rob to open the door and leave.

But he did not leave. She looked up finally and saw that he was looking at her, waiting. There was a certain expression on his face. He was surprised. He was furious. He was stunned. He saw only one way out—he didn't want to hurt her, through Ken. He was asking her, and waiting for her answer.

Her heart gave a terrible leap, and she felt weak, and sat down at the table. He was serious about this, and he had put it up to her. She leaned her head on her hands.

Not to judge this like a sentimental woman—to judge it fairly like a judge. No, like someone who has the real responsibility and whose duty it is to find the safety way out for everybody. She could see the years stretch ahead, the constant annoyance and expense to Rob of having these wild mares and their colts brought down for feed and shelter in storms. At last they would feel that the ranch belonged to them. Thunderhead was oriented to this place, there was no way to prevent his coming, except by a sustained program of discouragement and unkindness that Rob would not be capable of, to say nothing of Ken. And lastly, the worst thing of all, it was only a matter of time before Thunderhead would kill Banner.

A deep wave of compassion for Rob went over her. What terrible decisions he had to take on himself! And such a decision as this—to shoot one of the finest young animals they had ever raised!

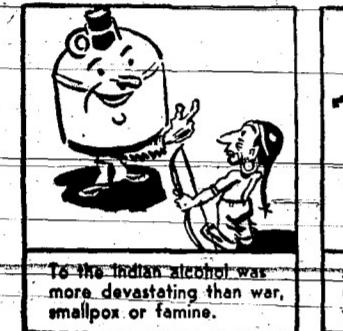
Help him! Comfort him! She rose swiftly to her feet with outstretched hands. Her face was strong and bright and smiling. "Shoot him now, Rob, and haul him away, before anything terrible happens. We just won't say anything to Ken about it. And don't feel too badly, dear, he's had a glorious life!"

Rob was bewildered. He took her gently in his arms and kissed her, looking at her wonderingly. "Will you go to bed now, my darling, and leave the dishes to me? I'll do them when I come in."

"It doesn't mean it's out of condition," said Ken scornfully. "He's never out of condition. He can run faster than any other horse any time he wants to."

Gunston suggested that Ken should give the horse a run. He might be willing to eat after he'd had a bit of exercise. Dickson came running up, anxious to inspect the racer he was

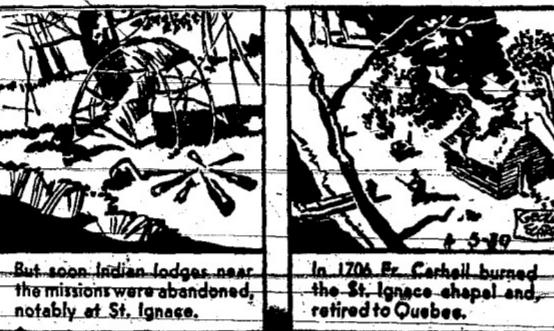
MICHIGAN AND THE OLD NORTHWEST



To the Indian alcohol was more devastating than war, smallpox or famine.



Jesuits fought Cadillac's use of brandy to keep the tribes loyal.



But soon Indian lodges near the mission were abandoned, notably at St. Ignace.



In 1706 Fr. Carrel burned the St. Ignace chapel and retired to Quebec.

Legal Notices

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 6th day of May, 1946.

Present, Honorable Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henriette Love, William Love having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, W^{1/2} of Sec. 28 Town 25 N R 3W except NE^{1/4} of NW^{1/4} N^{1/2} of NW^{1/4} of Sec. 33, T 25 NR 3W and SE^{1/4} of SW^{1/4} of Sec. 34 except R.C.W. US 27 T 25 NR 3W, in Bear Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of July, 1946, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Carl W. Peterson,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Carl W. Peterson,
Judge of Probate.

9-16-23-30-6

person.
It is Ordered, That the 8th day of July, A.D. 1946, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 21st day of May, A.D. 1946.

Present, Hon. Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jennie E. Alexander, Deceased.

John Bruun having filed his petition praying that the said estate be reopened and petition be presented administratively therefor for the purpose of applying for dividends from the First Liquidating Corporation of Detroit, Michigan.

It is Ordered, That the 17th day of June, A.D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said date of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Carl W. Peterson,
Judge of Probate.

23-30-6-13

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 8th day of May, A.D. 1946.

Present, Honorable Carl W. Peterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Harriett B. Collen, Deceased.

James Collen, having filed in said Court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Robert F. Neafle or to some other suitable

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"Please, Neil, I'll feel better if I know you're

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, May 30, 1946.

State of the Nation

Anyone who conducts a business successfully in the face of the growing mountain of governmental controls, must have a corps of lawyers at his elbow. An individual with a good idea and the willingness to risk his savings to back his idea, is not enough. He can not go ahead except by the grace of countless bureaus and agencies staffed with hopelessly confused little bureaucrats. Every move he makes must be paved with priorities, allocations, certificates, and directives. If he does manage to run the gauntlet and come out with an article the public needs and wants, he can not sell it unless the price is approved by a government agent acting under the authority of an unintelligible formula.

Such is the state of the nation. Paradoxically, larger industries able to hire lawyers, and survive the present crazy system if anyone can, are the most vociferous in their condemnation of the situation. They realize that they were once small and they want to preserve the kind of country which keeps alive the hope of the beginner. They realize too that if a crop of healthy small business is not developing continually, big business and big government will gradually destroy opportunities and freedom for the individual.

As the president of one leading oil company asserts: "Business and industry to succeed must serve the public. This is best done through competition. To have competition we must preserve at all costs an environment in which the little man can continue to challenge the big fellow for public favor." Faith in competitive enterprise has guided my life."

We can not restore individual opportunity in this country unless we reject government by decree, which is the kind of government we have now as far as business is concerned, and which is the kind we shall have tomorrow for all of us if a resurgence of confidence in independent action does not appear soon.

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Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

MAY 31, 1923

Grayling OES held installation of officers Wednesday night. The following officers were duly installed for the ensuing year, Mrs Bert Ashenfelter, Past Matron, acting as installing officer: Melvin A. Bates, Worth Patron; Edine Reynolds, Associate Matron; Mabel Brasie, Secretary; Frank Richardson, Treasurer; Bassie Brown, Ether; Irma Wier, Martha; Sarah Zeder, Electa; Camilla Sorenson, Warden; Margaret Yohr, Chaplain.

The Commencement exercises of Frederic High School were held May 26 at the Opera House.

The invocation was given by Rev Jones of Grayling. Salutatorian Robert Hunter; Class Legend Cecile Munroe; Piano Solo—Miss Mildred Corwin; Class Vision Hazel Smith; Valedictor for the High School—Ethel Munroe; Vocal Solo—Miss Erma Craven.

This rowan brought to a close another school year which passed very pleasantly. The Misses Cecile Munroe and Hazel Smith both received second grade certificates from one writing and Miss Ethel Munroe, who has not had six months experience in teaching, received a third grade certificate.

Robert Hunter was also qualified to take the examination but he is not old enough to teach.

Lorraine Sparkes and family are enjoying a new Oakland touring car.

Ralph Chamberlain and family of Detroit have come to Grayling to reside. At present they are visiting the former's mother, Mrs Peter Larson.

Mr and Mrs Fred Hanson entertained a number of relatives and friends last evening in honor of Miss Anna Nelson of Grand Rapids, who is spending a couple of weeks in Grayling previous to leaving on a trip west.

Claud Gilson has started the construction of a new cottage at the Gilson landing on the north end of Lake Margrethe.

Mrs James Kendrick of the Soo visited Sunday at the home of her niece, Mrs Jerry Sherman.

Miss Helen Sherman entertained Miss Marion McColloman of East Jordan over Sunday also.

Mrs Charles Schreck and son LeRoy left Saturday for Gladwin owing to the illness of the former's mother.

Mrs James Wingard is spending the week in Lansing, the guest of her son Will and wife.

She left last Monday, accompanying C. C. Gates and family who expect to locate in either Lansing or Detroit.

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"Conk's Column"Why Can't They Do It
In Michigan?

In the Detroit Times' News Pictorial for May 19 appeared a full-page picturization of work the Conservation Department of the

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State of Colorado is doing toward maintaining the great trout fishing in that state. A summing up of Colorado's trout conservation program states "her 18 hatcheries and rearing stations are to send 1,600,000 trout of 7 inches upward into (Colorado) fishing waters this year. An expansion program already started is to INCREASE the state's plantings to between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000 oversize trout annually."

Out there they are trying to

preserve the fishing of that state.

Why can not and why does not

Michigan do the same?

We have a Conservation Department, too.

And conservation is more than

conversation.

Here, as in Colorado, only we

believe more so, keeping the fishing

A-1 is a big factor in maintaining

and increasing the flow

of summer vacationists to the

state.

We have our hopes that Crawford

County will never come to

the point where its lakes will be

fenced in and the public barred

from access to them by the glaring

sign "Private—Keep Out!"

We have always looked on the

streams and lakes of a state as

public domain for the people

and the pleasure of the people

in the person of the Michigan

Department of Natural Resources.

Everyone has the right to,

by buying

property along the streams

or lakes, close them to other people.

The great strides Michigan

has made in conservation are due

to the fishing and hunting

licenses bought by the average

Tom, Dick, and Harry—you, me,

and the rest of us. We are the

outdoors enthusiasts, REAL de-

voted to an unspoiled outdoors.

We believe, among other things,

that Michigan's Great Outdoors

must be kept for the generations

ahead as well as for the enjoyment

of the people of today.

Sometime ago, as we

drove into the forests, or along

the lakes of Crawford County

after the Great Architect made

this beautiful Outdoors of Michigan.

He threw the plans away

for here only is the beauty of the

streams, lakes, forests and hills

without a flaw."

Northern Michigan appeals as

a vacation land. Let us keep it so.

Its main allure is its outdoors

—and in the summertime so many

of the folks who come here are

folks who come to fish. More and

better fishing will keep them

coming here.

The Conservation Institute,

Tourist and Resort Division,

Michigan State College, has re-

leased the first of a series of

pamphlets which are to aid per-

sons in the tourist and resort in-

dustry. The first pamphlet is en-

titled "Soups", and contains in-

5% DDT and copper dusts or

Bordeaux mixture.

Pinch back chrysanthemums to

get bushy growth and abundance

of bloom. Stake delphinium, hol-

lyhocks and other tall peren-

nials.

June 20-30—Stop cutting aspar-

agus. Apply 10 pounds of 10-6-4

or other high nitrogen fertilizer

per 100 root row. Watch for, and

remove, suckers on lilacs, roses,

and any other grafted trees or

shrubs.

Water plants during dry spells.

Be particularly careful to water

newly set evergreens. Water the

lawn thoroughly, soaking soil to

depth of 3 or 4 inches. Don't just

sprinkle.

Bottle weeds. June is the

month to whip the weed problem.

Weeds rob garden plants of

food and moisture. Hoe them out

or pull them by hand, but get rid

of the weeds. This is a good time

to use one of the 2, 4-D sprays

to destroy lawn weeds, too. Be

careful not to get 2, 4-D on gar-

den plants, however.

The state has been in the land

business for more than 100 years,

but evolution of the lands office

from a sales agency to a manage-

ment service came only after its

coordination with other conserva-

tion agencies in the State De-

partment of Conservation... now

its 25th anniversary.

For 60 years after creation of

the state office in 1843, the

agency's big job was sales, to en-

courage settlement in the state.

There were primary school lands,

agricultural college lands, uni-

versity lands, swamp lands, asyl-

um lands, and salt spring lands

given to the state by act of Con-

gress, all to be sold to finance

the young state's educational in-

stitutions and promote develop-

ment of new areas. Together

these lands totaled about twelve

million acres, more than the area

of the Northern Peninsula. The

job of running them down. Only

a few thousand acres of little

value remain on the books.

But the job of the lands agency

is bigger than ever. Except for

the readily resold tax-delinquent

lands of southern Michigan, man-

aged separately by the state land

board, the lands division of the

Conservation Department keeps

all records of state land holdings.

It has nearly five million acres to

keep tab on, and is likely to have

as much to take care of for a long

time to come.

When lands affairs were bro-

into the Conservation Depart-

ment, posting of some land re-

cords had been neglected as long

as 10 years. Today, the records

are up-to-date, and modern meth-

ods such as use of addressograph

machines for listing three-quar-

ters of a million descriptions for

one annual statement, is keeping

them that way.

Besides its staggering clerical

chores, the lands division has

structions and recipes for the

preparation of soups in quanti-

ties sufficient to serve fifty or

more. It will be of particular

interest to those who are providing

food service to large numbers of

tourists and vacationists, church

or lodge groups. A number of

pamphlets in this series will be

prepared to deal with other fea-

tures of menu and the more gen-

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control in quantity food service.

One of the pamphlets is avail-

able for inspection at the Avan-

chee office and they may be had

free of charge by contacting the

County Agent, L. W. Barnes.

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

LOCALS

Mr and Mrs Andrew Flynn of Chicago left last Thursday after spending a week as the guests of Mr and Mrs O. T. Schanhite at their cabin down river. The Flyns were on their honeymoon.

Mr and Mrs Don Peterson of Atlanta, Michigan, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs Hans Peterson.

Have you seen the new jeweled headbands at Margot's in the Shoppeagons Inn?

Mr and Mrs Lynn Doremire and children spent the weekend in Grayling. Mrs Paul Lovely returned to Midland with them.

Mrs Eugene Papendick and son Bob and George Bielski spent a day in Traverse City last week, the men on business.

Week-end guests of Mrs Elsie Cochran were Mr and Mrs Arthur Waite and daughter Mary Lou, and Wilma Strong, of Midland. Sunday visitors were Mrs. Cochran's nephew, Russell McGregor, wife and daughter Gail, of Saginaw.

Roy Trudgeon is now the possessor of a brand new fishing rod. It was brought back from Lansing for him by James Hodges, and Jimmy says that with a few more half-hour sessions he has high hopes of Roy being able to handle the new casting rod.

Mr and Mrs Niles Smith and Miss Martha Connor, of Mancelona, visited recently at the home of Mr and Mrs Wesley Kumpula.

Mrs Lois Bradley is spending some time with her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs J. F. Westerholm, in Erie, Pa. Last week they attended the graduation in New York City of Mr Westerholm's brother, Rev Walter Westerholm, from the American Seminary in the Bible.

Dr Stanley Stealy attended a medical meeting in Traverse City last Wednesday and spent Friday and Saturday in Bay City on business.

Ed Chalker is to be the new coach at Kalkaska next winter, and with Mrs Chalker will make his home in that city.

Mrs DeVere Dawson has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Joe Merrill, for several weeks.

Sgt Gerald Burns arrived home Friday night from Clovis, New Mexico, after a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Burns.

Mrs Leslie Hunter has returned from a visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs Otto Dreyer, in Flint.

Mr and Mrs Harley Kline and Mrs John B. White, of Detroit, stopped for a short visit with the Edward Penty family at Lake Margrethe en route to Torch Lake.

Col. and Mrs R. C. Vandercook of Lansing are here to spend the summer at their cabin down river.

Mr and Mrs Carl Peterson are making their permanent home at Arbutus Beach on Otsego Lake.

Mr and Mrs Axel Nelson of Saginaw and Mr and Mrs Frank Ryder spent the weekend at their cottages at Danish Landing.

Dr C. W. Peasley of Norwalk, Ohio, is spending two weeks in Grayling for the fishing.

Mr and Mrs Spencer Mielstrup of Detroit and Mrs Elsa Bromell and Mrs Albert Rumsey of Lansing spent the weekend in Grayling. The ladies are daughters of the late Mr and Mrs Victor Salling.

Mr and Mrs Fred Bear of Detroit spent the weekend in Grayling.

Mayor Edward J. Jeffries Jr. spent a few hours in Grayling last Friday en route back to Detroit from the Upper Peninsula.

Holger Peterson has returned to Detroit after spending a week's vacation with his family here.

Sgt and Mrs Lee Longstreet of Adrian spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr and Mrs Carl Larsen. Sgt Longstreet is on furlough, having just returned from service in China.

Mike Brenner and son Cal were here to open the Brenner cottage on Lake Margrethe for Decoration Day.

Harold Rasmussen is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Thomas Robson of Fort Wayne, Indiana, arrived Tuesday to spend a week as guest of Mr and Mrs George Griffith, down river.

Mr and Mrs Louis Yack and daughter-in-law, Mrs Hubert Yack of Midland, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Charles Harrington of Corning, N. Y., spent Sunday with Mrs Yack's brother and family, Mr and Mrs Robert Jackson.

From New York City's peasant village come ever so many reproductions of very old pieces in ruby and crystal ware. See them at Margot's.

Mr and Mrs Norman May spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs James Bugby, Mrs May from Mt. Pleasant and Mr May from Erie, Pennsylvania. They were accompanied from Mt Pleasant by Mrs Robert Boeve, who visited her parents, Mr and Mrs William Christensen, who were in Grayling.

The many friends of Mr and Mrs Douglas Bishop of Southgate, Los Angeles, California, will be interested to learn of the arrival of a second son, Charles Saxon Bishop, born April 26, Mr Bishop is the grandson of Mrs Elizabeth Foley of 604 Chestnut Street, Grayling.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Wells and Mr and Mrs Ron Goddard, all of Ithaca, New York, have been spending the past week at the Tony Nelson cottage at Danish Landing on Lake Margrethe. This is the first visit to Michigan for the four.

S 1/c Robert F. Owen of Star Route, Grayling, received his honorable discharge from the United States Naval Personnel Separation Center on May 23.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Birdsall,

Mr and Mrs Stanley Flower and Mrs Sign Randolph spent Sunday picnicking at Deward.

The Lakeside Drive Club met for a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs Helen Smith, Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Roy Milnes and Mr and Mrs Frank Bond are leaving Saturday to spend two weeks in Virginia. Jimmy Bond will accompany them as far as Cleveland and will spend the two weeks with his aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs Dwight Taylor, at Marshall.

Mr and Mrs Wesley Woods and daughter Janet of Flint, were guests of Floyd Davis for the weekend.



GETS NEW PAL . . . Life was meaningless for six-year-old Johnny Conklin when his dog, Rex, was killed by an auto, but things brightened when he acquired a new pal, six-weeks-old Lady, given to him by a sympathetic reader who saw his picture in the paper.

Glad to see J. Annshultz out for a drive every once in a while. Hope his health continues to improve.

Rosa Bishaw was a guest of Margie and Bud Caid one day last week.

The Men's Club of Lovells is sponsoring a dance at the town hall, Saturday night, June 1. Baird's Orchestra will furnish the music.

Mr and Mrs Heyworth and son Bob are at their cabin for the summer. The cabin is located on a beautiful spot on the North Branch near what is known as the "Black Hole". The Heyworths are now building cabin for rent on their land on the river.

Charles N. Miller of Kenosha, Wis., expects to have Nash Camp open for the summer. They expect to be here by the last of the week, together with Charles' mother, Mrs Mae Brenton.

William Broeg of Detroit is spending two weeks at Beaver Bend Lodge, enjoying the fishing and also the good meals provided by Jean Jackson.

Mr and Mrs Lyle St. Johns and family spent a few days at the home of J. E. Kellogg, Mrs St. Johns' parents.

Charles and Elmer Kellogg are now assisting their brother John at his carpenter work near Lovellston.

Mr and Mrs C. V. Barnum of Midland spent the weekend at Beaver Bend Lodge.

Wanda Cardinal of Pontiac was here to spend the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Claude Cardinal. She was accompanied by Perry Mattoon.

Jack Perry was home from Mt Pleasant to spend the weekend with relatives.

Mr and Mrs Albert Sly and son Tommy of Dearborn, Michigan, spent the weekend with Mrs Lloyd Perry and other relatives.

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Pete sure enjoys the fishing and the ladies visit their old friends in and around Lovells.

William Broeg made a River trip, Saturday, and got a fine mess of trout. Jack Redhead did the guiding.

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LOVELLS NOTES

Bob Hesson was a caller in Lovells one day last week.

Mr and Mrs Clay Wright of Chicago and Dr and Mrs Tomlison of Detroit were dinner guests at Beaver Bend Lodge last Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Kellogg and children, of Farmington, visited at Mr. Clayton's parental home here last week.

The George E. Brands of De-

troit have opened their cottage,

the "Mar-G-Bee", on Shupac

Lake for the summer.

GRANGE NOTES

Crawford County Grange No. 934 is holding the first business meeting in each month on Saturday evenings for the next three months.

Saturday, June 1st, will be an evening meeting. A full attendance is requested.

Each member is requested to

bring a package for the white

elephant game.

There will be a lecture hour following the busi-

ness meeting. Anyone is welcome

for the lecture.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Mr and Mrs Welch, those at the hospital, and others for their kindness to Elmer Ostrander during his illness, the Grange for their assistance at the funeral, and Rev. Svend Holm for his impressive sermon.

The Family of Elmer

Ostrander.

When George Burns and Gracie Allen take their summer vacation—June 6 to August 29—Meredith Willson will carry on for the summer, with the King Sisters and Ben Gage.

Three of the Chevrolets in Auto Jubilee Parade



One of the oldest Chevrolets, a 1912 two-passenger roadster, being readied for the parade which will be held in Detroit June 1-3, during the 1946 Automotive Jubilee. Andrew Holman is cranking the car for a test run.

A Chevrolet 1912 touring car, one of the first products of the company, is shown here. All others in 10 of the 11 newer years of automobile manufacture was expected by the Goldring Girl who plays in the motion picture "The Kid From Brooklyn."

projection room where "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" was being run off. And she confessed that she'd gone to see the picture some time ago, after a hard day at the doctor's office where she's an assistant, but couldn't remember anything about it; seems she slept right through it!

Irene Rich, who makes her first film appearance after five years' absence from the screen in Republic's "The Angel and the Outlaw," dons and operates a 1,000 acre ranch near San Bernardino, Calif.

Frank Readick told this one at a "Crime Doctor" rehearsal. Two elephants at the zoo were crouched back to back. When a third elephant joined them, he was told to go away because they were playing. Playing what, he asked. Why, book ends!

ODDS AND ENDS—Roland Culver, whom Paramount imported from England to play Olivia de Havilland's middle-aged suitor in "To Each His Own," returns to Hollywood to play her sister, Joan Fontaine, father in "The Emperor Waltz"; . . . Sterling Hayden's resuming his acting career at Paramount. . . Herman Goering's jewel-encrusted hunting knife now hangs on the wall of Alan Ladd's den. . . Evelyn Keyes lost so much weight when she had the flu that it cost Columbia plenty to remodel the clothes she wears in "The Jolson Story."



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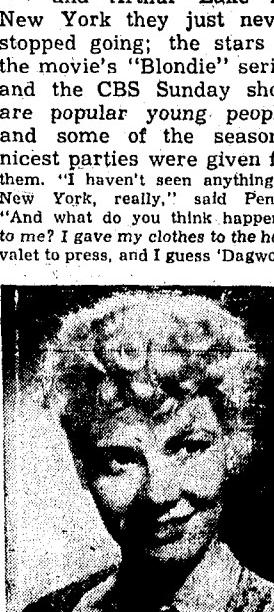
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LOCALS

Edwin LaBatt has taken a position at the Dore Manufacturing Company.

Jacky Lozon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lozon of Maple Forest, has been released from Mercy Hospital.

Amos Hoesli spent a couple days in Flint last week, the guest of his sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Oscar Schueler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger spent a few days fishing in the Upper Peninsula last week.

Mrs. Ebsen Hanson Sr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson returned home Tuesday, the former after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ebsen Hanson in Alma, Michigan. The latter visited her daughter, Mrs. Richard Snyder husband and daughter Peggy, in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jorgenson with daughter Betty Lou and sons Ernest, Eldon and Robert Wayne, arrived Monday in Grayling, to make their home here.

and Mrs. Nels Olson and son Peter of Marcellona, were also present.

Patsy Bishaw, Sue Giegling, Nancy Hoesli, Christine Sales, Phyllis Bennett, Jim Feldhauser, Jack Miller, Axel Petersen, George Miller, Bob Baumgarten, Lawrence Bunker, Joan Madill and Ted Bennett enjoyed a picnic roast at the state park at Otsego Lake, Tuesday evening.

NOTICE—The Ladies' Aid of Michelson Memorial Church will meet for a 1:00 pot-luck on Friday, June 7, at the home of Mrs. Carl Petersen, Arbutus Beach, Otsego Lake. Anyone wishing transportation call Mrs. Emil Giegling, phone 2581.

Arthur Clough and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharpe spent Sunday in Bellaire on business.

Robert Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLeanahan spent last week in Canada.

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They have just finished an 8,000-mile tour of the states.

Guests at the James Lynch home, Sunday were Mrs. Lynch's brother, with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waldhausen, daughter Kathleen, and sons Frederick and Richard, all of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Jennings and brother, Steve Jennings, of Hazel Park, spent two days last week in Grayling. They brought their mother, Mrs. E. A. Jennings, to her home here. They reported an improvement in their fishing luck—hope to try again this weekend. They, with their mother, attended the Tulip Festival in Holland, and say that it was a real treat and one that should not be missed.

S 1/4 Delbert F. Case of Grayling received his honorable discharge from the United States Navy at the Great Lakes Naval Personnel Separation Center on May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day arrived home Sunday after attending the state track meet in Columbus, Ohio. The Devilbiss High School team (on which their son Dennis is a star) won the meet, which makes them the undefeated champions. Dennis has won for himself a scholarship to Ohio State University, where he will take up the study of dentistry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dilley (Virginia Day) arrived from Phoenix, Arizona, Tuesday, to spend the summer.

Cadet Nurse Geraldine Golnick spent the week-end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Golnick, Geraldine is now taking her training at Mercy Hospital in Bay City.

MAPLE FOREST

The party at Maple Forest town hall, Saturday night, was very well attended. A number of MOMS and their families from Flint, with their Jack Post, a returnee from Frederic, was given "welcome home" also.

Herb Smith entertained his family and friends from Flint over the week-end.

A family party was held at the home of Mrs. Bessie Pratt in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Petersen and family, who are looking for a home near Mt. Pleasant, to be near Mr. Petersen's work.

Honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Christine Feldhauser and Charles Feldhauser, a large group of relatives enjoyed Sunday at the Charles Feldhauser home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Laura McLeod and family

Mrs. Clara McLeod and family

Children's Day

(Continued from last page)

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Mrs. Guy E. Wheaton of Lyons, Michigan, at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 26. The singing service was read by Rev. Sund Holm at the home of Mrs. Herman Doroh. Snapdragons, carnations and peonies were used for the occasion. Twelve relatives and friends were present at the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a navy crepe straight-length dress and wore a corsage of white carnations. Miss Wanda Doroh, as maid of honor, chose a coral crepe dress and her corsage was also of white carnations. Herman Wheaton, Lyons' brother of the groom, served as best man.

The wedding dinner was enjoyed by the bridal party following the ceremony, the table centerpiece being a lovely three-tiered wedd-

ing cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

The bride, prior to her marriage, was nurses' aid at the San Jose (California) Hospital. The groom recently received a discharge from the U. S. Army after two and a half years' service in the Pacific.

The couple are honeymooning in Northern Michigan. On their return they will be at home to their friends at Lyons, Michigan.

MRS. BURTON McWILLIAMS FETE AT SHOWER

Nadine Heath, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Pond, was hostess at a

pantry shower given in honor of Mrs. Burton McWilliams (Thelma Johnston) at eight o'clock last Sunday evening.

The guests enjoyed a lunch, which was served at card tables. An unusual centerpiece of hearts and a miniature bride and groom was used as tulips and lighted tapers.

Games were played, the prizes being won by Marion Trudgen and Mrs. Eva Lewis, who presented them to the bride. Mrs. McWilliams also received many other attractive and useful gifts, as well as the best wishes of those present.

To those who prefer to care for their own lots, we request that they turn off the water when they are through watering, as all

mer. provided we could locate one. We have corresponded with several manufacturers, but so far with no success.

Flowers and potted plants will soon be arriving in great numbers to be placed on graves for Decoration Day, and we are hoping that this year we will be free from frost such as ruined

some of our flowers last Decoration Day. We are anticipating even more visitors this past week.

Among our visitors this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Goddard, of Ithaca, New York; Mrs. Campbell of Mt. Pleasant, S. W. Michigan, and the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook, Mr. Cook with a registration book

for the purpose of registering the names of our out-of-town visitors.

Respectfully submitted,
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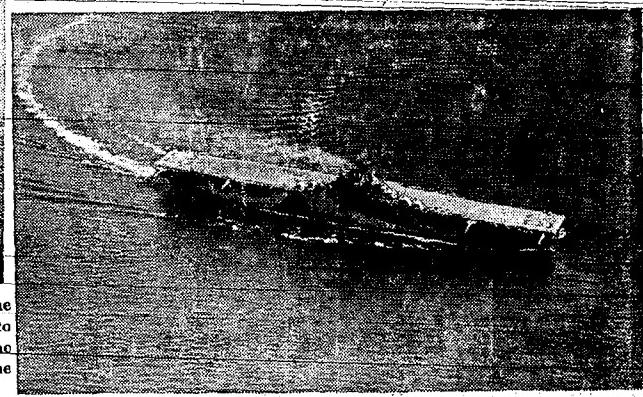
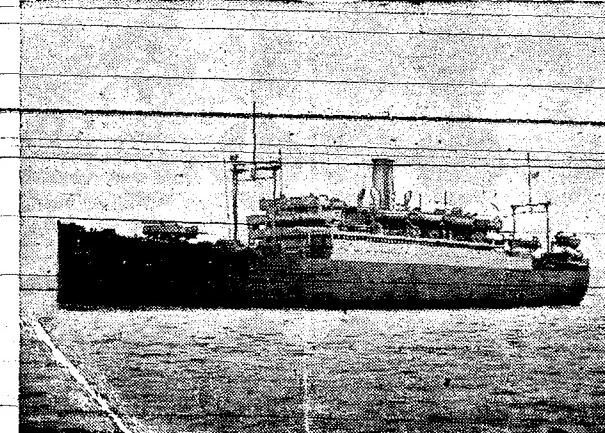
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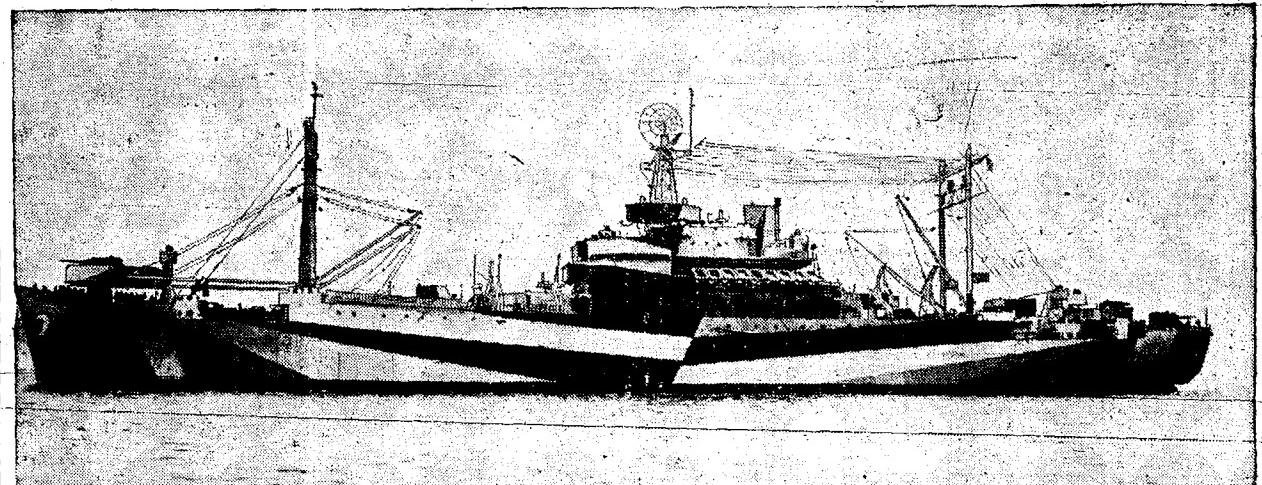
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"Crossroads" Support Unit to View**Atomic Bomb Tests**

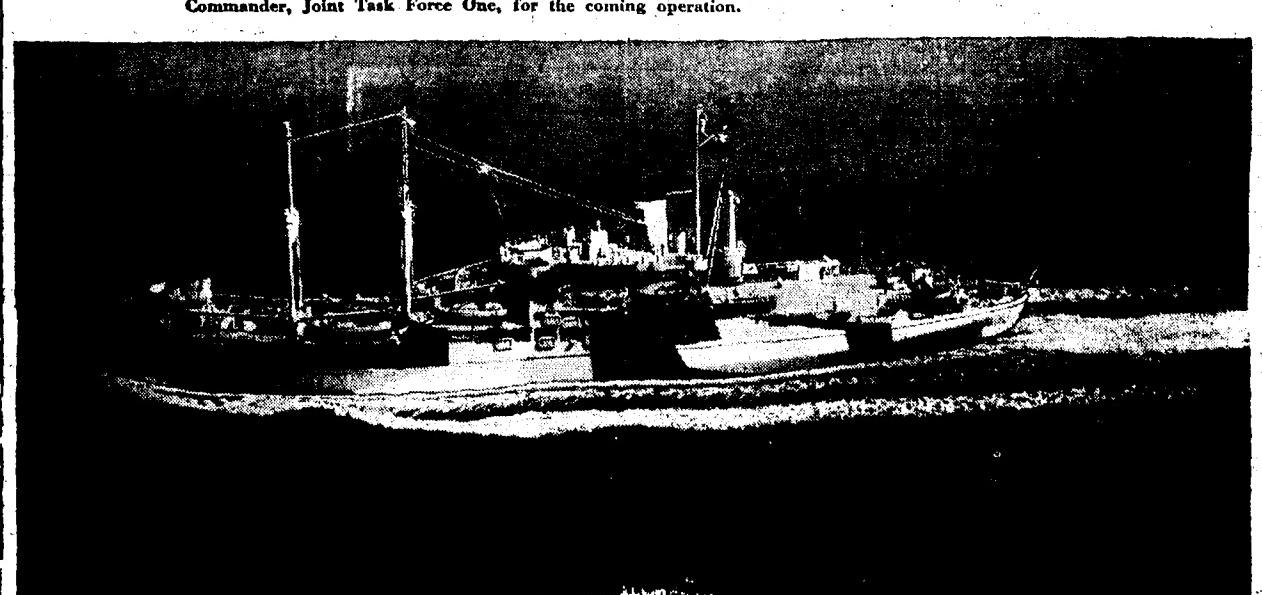
Four of the ship-types in the Support unit of the Joint Task Force are shown below. The ships represent the major vessels which will carry the observers and technicians for the test. The Support Fleet will be anchored about ten miles distant from Bikini Atoll, and will observe the actual bombing, and then make the necessary tests on the ships when the area has been declared safe.



GALLERY for the observers will be ships such as this transport, the USS Wharton. The Wharton, and other transports carried troops to all fronts during the war, and carried the assault troops to invasions in the European, Mediterranean, and Pacific areas. Since the end of the war, the transports have been bringing home the veterans of the Pacific.



FLAGSHIP for the Support Unit will be the Amphibious Force Flagship USS Mount McKinley. The vessel, commissioned in May, 1944, was the wartime command flagship for five Pacific amphibious invasions—at Palau, Leyte Gulf, Lingayen Gulf, Luzon, and Okinawa. The Mount McKinley was the flagship of Amphibious Group Four in the occupation of Japan, and received the final report of compliance with the surrender terms on October 6, 1945. The ship will be the flagship of Vice Admiral W. H. P. Blandy, USN, Commander, Joint Task Force One, for the coming operation.



TENDER for the seaplane of the support unit will be the seaplane tender USS Cumberland Sound, which was tender for the large patrol bombing planes during the war. During the latter part of 1945, the vessel was engaged in reconnaissance of the Tokyo area. The Cumberland Sound and the ships like her will service many of the planes to be used in observation of the results of the Atomic test.